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Henry Stoddard Ruggles.

RUGGLES, KINGSLEY, ROSS AND GOODWIN

REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTRY

OF

HENRY STODDARD RUGGLES,

WITH THE

RUGGLES, RYAN, KINGSLEY, ROSS AND GOODWIN ARMS,

FROM
FAMILY BOOK-PLATES
AND SILVER.

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Wisconsin Historical Society As the genealogies of these Kingsley, Ross, and Goodwin families have not before been printed, the lines are shown from the early generations, while that of Ruggles being found in several of the periodical historical works and in a large and exhaustive history of the family, it is considered unnecessary to repeat the lineage farther back than Samuel Ruggles of Willington, Conn., the founder of this branch.

RUGGLES.



Samuel Ruggles

SAMUEL RUGGLES. 1751—1778.

RUBBLES.

This family, descended from colonial times through Samuel Ruggles, Esq., of Willington, Conn., has been traced to County Stafford, England, in the twelfth century.—American Historical Register, Vol. V.

SAMUEL RUGGLES.

SAMUBL RUGGLES* of Willington, Conn., a soldier of the Revolution (Connecticut Men in the War of the Revolution); born Feb. 25, 1751; died Oct. 23, 1778; married Sept. 17, 1772, Lucy, daughter of John Robinson of Lebanon, Conn.

Their children:

- I. Ebenezer, born Dec. 17, 1773.
- II. John, born Feb. 3, 1776.

MAJOR JOHN RUGGLES.

Major John Ruggles of Rutland, Vermont. His holdings included all that property forming the present chief business section of the city of Rutland, and his mansion on "Ruggles Hill" is still preserved in its original loca-

^{*}Hon. Benjamin Ruggles, United States Senator from Ohio 1815-1833, was his nephew.

tion, known now as 31 West street. He was born Feb. 3, 1776; died Feb. 19, 1831; married, first, Jan. 17, 1800, Mary, daughter of Henry Gould of Concord, Mass.; secondly, Dec. 15, 1807, Eunice, daughter of Phineas Kingsley of Rutland, a soldier of the Revolution (*Revolutionary soldiers' tablet, Memorial Hall, Rutland*), and, thirdly, Dec. 30, 1821, Sarah, daughter of Nathaniel Beaman of Rutland.

Children by second wife (Eunice Kingsley):

- I. Gershom Cheney, born Feb. 3, 1810.
- II. Henry Bond, born July 9, 1813.
- III. George Fitch, born Dec. 12, 1818.
- I. Julia Sparrow.

HENRY BOND RUGGLES.

Henry Bond Ruggles of Boston, Mass., a partner in the house of Lawrence Wilde & Co., in Cornhill, for a number of years—he retired from business life before his removal to Wakefield in 1894; born July 9, 1813; died Nov. 9, 1897; married, first, May 31, 1836, Parna Bird, daughter of Simeon Dunbar of North Bridgewater, and, secondly, Aug. 4, 1844, Mary Goodwin, daughter of Jonathan Ross of Harrison, Maine, and granddaughter of Jonathan Ross of Berwick and John Goodwin of Arundel, both soldiers of the Revolution (Archives of the State of Massachusetts).

Child by first wife (Parna Bird Dunbar):

I. Francis Dunbar, born Aug. 17, 1837, killed in the battle of Fredericksburg Dec. 13, 1862; Washington Artillery, C. S. A.; distinguished for bravery (In Camp and Battle, Owen, Boston, 1885).

Children by second wife (Mary Goodwin Ross):

- II. Henry Stoddard, born Oct. 31, 1846.
- I. Mary Elizabeth, died in infancy.

HENRY STODDARD RUGGLES.

HENRY STODDARD RUGGLES of Wakefield, Mass., for many years engaged in the management of estates in Boston; he has devoted some of his leisure to literary pursuits (Encyclopædia of American Biography of the Nineteenth Century); moved to Wakefield May 1, 1874; born Oct. 31, 1846; married Mary Elizabeth, only child of the late William Ryan of Boston (1823-1848), descendant of James Ryan, Esq., of Kilkeyll, Ireland, 1620.

Their children:

I. Henry, born Feb. 20, 1879; died Jan. 24, 1881.

II. Francis Dunbar, born Aug. 9, 1883.

III. Horace Cheney, born June 18, 1887; died Feb. 9, 1888.

I. Emmeline. V. Louisa Kingsley.

II. Mary Rosamond.

VI. Alicia.

III. Marguerite.

VII. Lucia Dalton.

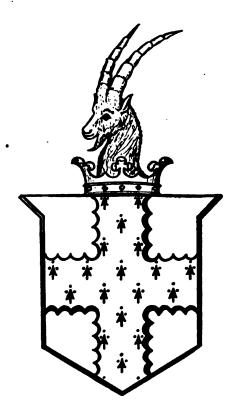
IV. Mabel Lyman.

VIII. Julia Parker.



William Ryan.

KINGSLEY.



KTHOSLEY.

KINGSLEY.

"And these, if not always our common ancestors, were often enough our common cousins, as in the case of my own family, in which one brother was settling in New England to found there a whole new family of Kingsleys, while the other brother was fighting in the Parliamentary army and helping to defeat Charles at Rowton Moor."—Charles Kingsley, Canon of Westminster.

The Kingsleys claim that they obtain their name from a township in Chester, which before 1128 was the property of Sir Ranulph de Cingesley. This Sir Ranulph had a grandson, Ranulph de Kingsley, who was appointed keeper of the forest of Delamere in 1166.

JOHN KINGSLEY.

From Hampshire, England—some say Dorset and some Lancashire—came John Kingsley to Boston. The exact date of his coming is not known. He was one of the original purchasers of Taunton, but the first information we have of his habitation in New England is in 1635, when he was settled in Dorchester. He had a share in the great lots there in 1646. He afterwards removed to Rehoboth, near Taunton, where he died. The date of death has been given as 1679, upon what evidence does not appear, but he is known to have been living there as

late as 1672. It is not certainly known whom he married, nor can we feel at all sure that the following list of his children is a complete one:

I. John.

IV. Enos.

II. Samuel.

· V. Edward.

III. Eldad, born 1638.

I. Renewed.

II. Freedom.

ELDAD KINGSLEY.

ELDAD KINGSLEY of Rehoboth, Mass.; born 1638; died Aug. 30, 1679; married, 1672, Mehitable, daughter of Roger Morey.

Their children:

I. John, born May 6, 1665.

II. Samuel, born June 1, 1669.

III. Jonathan, born Feb. 21, 1671.

IV. Nathaniel, born Feb. 5, 1679.

I. Elizabeth.

II. Mercy.

JOHN KINGSLEY.

JOHN KINGSLEY of Rehoboth, Mass., and Windham, Conn.; born May 6, 1665; died March 17, 1732; married, first, Sarah, daughter of Samuel Sabin, and, secondly, Elizabeth————.

Children by first wife (Sarah Sabin):

- I. John, born Feb. 26, 1695.
- II. Josiah, born Jan. 18, 1697.
- III. Amos, born Jan. 18, 1697.
- IV. Ezra, born Dec. 10, 1698.
- V. Eliphalet, born Feb. 2, 1704.
- VI. Eldad, born Jan. 8, 1707.
- I. Mary. IV. Elizabeth.
- II. Tabitha.

V. Mary.

III. Sarah.

Children by second wife (Elizabeth -

VII. Ebenezer, born April 15, 1714; died young.

VI. Lydia.

AMOS KINGSLEY.

Amos Kingsley of Windham, Conn., and Becket, Mass.; born Jan. 18, 1697; died April 23, 1787; married Jan. 12, 1723, Ruth, daughter of Henry Adams of Medfield (descendant of Henry Adams the first of Braintree).

Their children:

I. Amos.

II. Isaiah, born June 11, 1725.

III. Nathaniel.

VI. Joseph,

IV. John. V. Samuel. VII. Abiah. VIII. Elijah.

I. Eliza.

III. Ruth.

II. Alice.

ISAIAH KINGSLEY.

Isaiah Kingsley of Becket, Mass.; born June 11, 1725; died Dec. 29, 1796; married, first, Abigail, daughter of Seth Palmer of Windham, Conn., and, secondly, Sarah -

Children by first wife (Abigail Palmer):

- I. Isaiah, born Sept. 2, 1747.
- II. David, born Jan. 22, 1749.
- III. Phineas, born Dec. 21, 1750.
- IV. Enos, born Sept. 20, 1757.
- V. Seth Palmer, born June 13, 1761.
- I. Abigail.

III. Esther.

II. Elizabeth.

Children by second wife (Sarah —

IV. Anna.

VI. Lucy.

V. Mary.

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PHINEAS KINGSLEY.

PHINEAS KINGSLEY of Rutland, Vermont, a soldier of the Revolution; born Dec. 21, 1750; died May 25, 1825; married, first, March 26, 1775, Abigail Whipple; secondly, Feb. 11, 1779, Abigail Wood; thirdly, Feb. 9, 1794, Anna Squier, and, fourthly, Dec. 8, 1795, Elizabeth Dewing.

Child by first wife (Abigail Whipple):

I. Abigail, died in infancy.

Children by second wife (Abigail Wood):

- I. Phineas, born March 12, 1788.
- II. Abigail.
- III. Hannah.
- IV. Lucy, married Joshua Osgood.
- V. Eunice, married Major John Ruggles.
- VI. Submit, married Jonathan Bixby.

Child by third wife (Anna Squier):

VII. Anna, died young.

ROSS.



Jonathan Ross.

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ROSS.

HUGH ROSS.

HUGH Ross came from Belfast, Ireland, to Portsmouth, N. H. He settled in Kittery, Maine, where he married, first, Feb. 10, 1727, Hester, daughter of Nicholas Gowen of Kittery. The will of Nicholas Gowen, made Jan. 8, 1733, names this daughter, Hester Ross, but this will was not proved until Jan. 2, 1753, and there is a tradition that she died before her father. She is not believed to have been the mother of Hugh Ross's children named below, all of whom were baptized in Berwick, where he was then living. The church record mentions only the father's name in each entry.

The name of his second wife, the mother of the following six children, is unknown.

Children by second wife:

- I. Jonathan, bapt. April 5, 1749.
- I. Margaret, bapt. June 21, 1739.
- II. Esther, bapt. June 21, 1739.
- III. Elizabeth, bapt. April 23, 1744.
- IV. Patience, bapt. July 19, 1747.
- V. Hannah, bapt. Nov. 4, 1750.

JONATHAN ROSS.

JONATHAN Ross of Berwick and Shapleigh, Maine, a soldier of the Revolution; bapt. April 5, 1749; married Joanna, daughter of Noah Ricker of Berwick and descendant of Maturin Ricker of Cocheco, N. H., killed there by the Indians June 4, 1706; of Anthony Emery of Newbury, Mass., 1635, and of Nathan Lord and William Gowen of Kittery.

Their children:

- I. Simon, born May 18, 1775; married, first, Patty Shackley, and, secondly, Abigail Burleigh.
 - II. Noah, married Phœbe Thompson.
- III. Hugh, born June 20, 1779; married Elizabeth Clifford.
- IV. Jonathan, born June 3, 1781; married Mary Goodwin.
 - V. James, born Dec. 19, 1788; married Love Huntress.
 - VI. Timothy.
 - VII. Stephen.
 - VIII. Gideon, married Eliza Huntress.
 - IX. Joseph.
 - I. Betsey, married John Stanley.
 - II. Joanna, married Joshua Trafton.

JONATHAN ROSS.

JONATHAN Ross of Shapleigh and Harrison, Maine, born June 3, 1781; died Oct. 22, 1862; married Mary, daughter of John Goodwin of Arundel and York, a soldier of the Revolution and descendant of Daniel Goodwin of Kittery, 1652.

Their children:

- I. Jonathan, born Dec. 8, 1805.
- II. James, born Oct. 13, 1807.III. Samuel Goodwin, born May 22, 1815.
- IV. Joseph Phinney, born Jan. 20, 1820.
- I. Joanna Ricker, married Benjamin Holden.
- II. Elizabeth Stanley, married Jonathan Shaw.
- III. Mary Goodwin, married Henry Bond Ruggles.
- IV. Sarah Phinney, married Joel Mason.

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GOODWIN.

BOODWITH.

The late Capt. William F. Goodwin of Concord, N. H., who died in 1872, made a study of the early history of this family, and prepared somewhat extended records that never have been printed. He declared them to be of the Suffolk and Norfolk, England, Goodwins, while Judge John S. Goodwin of Chicago, by many considered the best authority on all the American Goodwins, assigns them to the Torrington and Plymouth English family. Without attempting to decide between these two, it may be mentioned that the same arms are ascribed to each of these English families, which strongly indicates a common ancestry.

DANIEL GOODWIN.

Daniel Goodwin of Kittery, Maine, 1652, married, first, Margaret, daughter of Thomas and Patience (Chadbourne) Spencer, and, secondly, Mrs. Sarah Turbet.

Children by first wife (Margaret Spencer):

- I. Daniel, married, first, Ann Thompson, and, secondly, Amy ———.
 - II. James, married Sarah Thompson.
 - III. Thomas, married Mehitable Plaisted.

- IV. William, married Deliverance Taylor.
- V. Moses, married Abigail Taylor.
- I. Patience, married Daniel Stone.
- II. Elizabeth, married, first, Zachary Emery; secondly, Philip Hubbard.
 - III. Sarah, married Isaac Barnes.

DANIEL GOODWIN.

DANIEL GOODWIN of Berwick, Maine, born 1656; died 1726; married, first, Oct. 17, 1682, Ann. daughter of Miles Thompson, and, secondly, Amy ———.

Children by first wife (Ann Thompson):

- I. Daniel, born June 13, 1685.
- II. Miles, born July 31, 1687.
- III. Nathaniel, born Oct. 29, 1689.
- I. Margaret.

NATHANIEL GOODWIN.

NATHANIEL GOODWIN of Berwick, Maine, born Oct. 29, 1689; married Mary ———.

Their children:

- I. Nathaniel, married Mary White.
- II. Benjamin, married Sarah Nason.

III. Solomon, married Abigail Hooper.

I. Amy.

II. Mary.

SOLOMON GOODWIN.

SOLOMON GOODWIN of Arundel, Maine, died Nov. 2, 1772; married, June 5, 1747, Abigail, daughter of John Hooper.

Their children:

- I. John, married Mary Plaisted.
- II. Bartholomew, died unmarried, 1782.
- III. Abraham, married Abigail Kimball.
- I. Abigail.

JOHN GOODWIN.

JOHN GOODWIN of Arundel and York, Maine, a soldier of the Revolution, lieutenant in Capt. Lord's York County Company, 1776; married Mary, daughter of John Plaisted and descendant of Roger Plaisted of Berwick, killed by the Indians Oct. 17, 1675; of Abraham Preble and Nathaniel Tilden of Scituate, Mass.; Hon. Edward Rishworth of York, and Rev. John Wheelwright, the founder of Exeter, N. H.

Their children:

I. Abraham, died unmarried.

- II. John, married Hannah Emery.
- III. Francis, married Lucy Sherman.
- IV. Samuel, married -
- I. Mary, married Jonathan Ross.
- II. Olive, married George Melcher.
- III. Sarah, married Daniel Emery.IV. Abigail, married Matthias Bragdon.
- V. Ann, married Daniel C. Emery.
- VI. Nancy, married Joseph Furbush.

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GRAVE OF SAMUEL RUGGLES

On Boston Common

He was the son of Samuel (A 51). The Boston Directory of 1789 gives his residence as on Newbury Street (which is now Washington Street). His brother is buried in King's Chapel Yard.



THE NATHANIEL RUGGLES PITCHER

This silver pitcher, first owned by Hon. Nathaniel Ruggles, (1761-1819) of Roxbury. Mass., bears his coat-of-arms. It passed to his son Nathaniel Ruggles of Henderson, Kentucky, and is still in possession of his descendants. It measures over 12 inches in height.

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